Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

That our senators and representatives in congress be requested to use their efforts in behalf of legislation which will permit widows whose husbands died in the late snow storm which commenced on Tuesday, the seventh day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, or from injuries received in said storm to receive patents on their homsteads when they request it.

Resolved further, That the governor of this state be requested to torward copies of these resolutions to our senators and representa-

tives in congress at as early a day as practicable.

Approved February 7, 1873.

NUMBER III.

A JOINT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SENATORS AND REPRESENTA-TIVES IN CONGRESS, REPRESENTING MINNESOTA, TO USE THEIR EFFORTS TO SECURE A POST ROUTE IN THE COUNTIES OF LYON AND MURRAY, &c.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

That our senators and representatives in congress, are requested to use their efforts to secure a post route from a station of the Winona and Saint Peter railroad, on or near section numbered twenty-three, (23) town numbered one hundred and nine, (109) of range numbered forty, (40) in the county of Lyon, and thence by way of Lake Sarah and Lowville to Murray Centre post-office, in the county of Murray,—a total distance of about twenty-four miles.

Resolved, That the postmaster general is respectfully requested to establish post offices at Lake Sarah and Lowville, in the said county of Murray, and to place the requisite service on the said route, so soon as the said route shall be duly authorized by act of congress.

Resolved, That the governor of this state be requested to forward copies of these resolutions to our senators and representatives in congress, and to the postmaster general.

Approved February 17, 1873.